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PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE

La Paz/Mohave Regional Partnership Council

Thursday, February 26, 2009 at 9:00 a.m.

Pursuant to A.R.S. §8-1194(A) and A.R.S. §38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the First Things First - Arizona Early Childhood Development & Health Board, the La Paz/Mohave Regional Partnership Council, and to the general public that the La Paz/Mohave Regional Partnership Council will hold a **regular meeting open to the public on Thursday, February 26, 2009 at 9:00 a.m. at the Parker Public Library located at 1001 S. Navajo Ave. Parker, Arizona.** Some members of the Council may elect to attend telephonically.

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3), the Council may vote to go into Executive Session, which will not be open to the public, to obtain legal advice regarding any matter on this agenda. The Council may hear items on the agenda out of order. The Council may discuss, consider, or take action regarding any item on the agenda. The Council may elect to solicit public comment on certain agenda items.

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

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| 1. Call to Order/Welcome/Introduction of Guests | William Allsbrooks,
Chair |
| 2. Approval of Minutes from January 22, 2009 Council Meeting | William Allsbrooks,
Chair |
| 3. Update on FTF Leadership Forum (Chairs Meeting) | William Allsbrooks,
Chair |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• FTF Messaging and Communications Plan• Discretionary Funds Update• State Budget Deficit and FTF Advocacy Update | |
| 4. Discussion and Possible Action on State Budget/State Legislative Action | William Allsbrooks,
Chair |
| 5. Coordinator Report | Merritt Beckett,
Regional Coordinator |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation of the 2008 Needs and Assets Report• RFGA Development and Next Steps• Vacancy for Health Service Provider• Quality First Update• Statewide Award Presentations | |

6. Call to the Public

William Allsbrooks,
Chair

This time is for the public to comment. Members of the Council may not discuss or take legal action regarding matters that are not specifically identified on the agenda. Therefore, pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.01(H), action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study the matter, responding to criticism, or scheduling the matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.

7. Items for Future Meetings

William Allsbrooks,
Chair

8. Adjourn

William Allsbrooks,
Chair

Next Meeting: Thursday, March 26, 2009 at 9:00am located at the Lake Havasu Unified School District Board Room, 2000 Havasupai Blvd., Lake Havasu City, Arizona.

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Dated this 16th day of February 2009

La Paz/Mohave Regional Partnership Council



Merritt Beckett, Regional Coordinator

Posted this 16th day of February 2009, at 5:00 p.m.